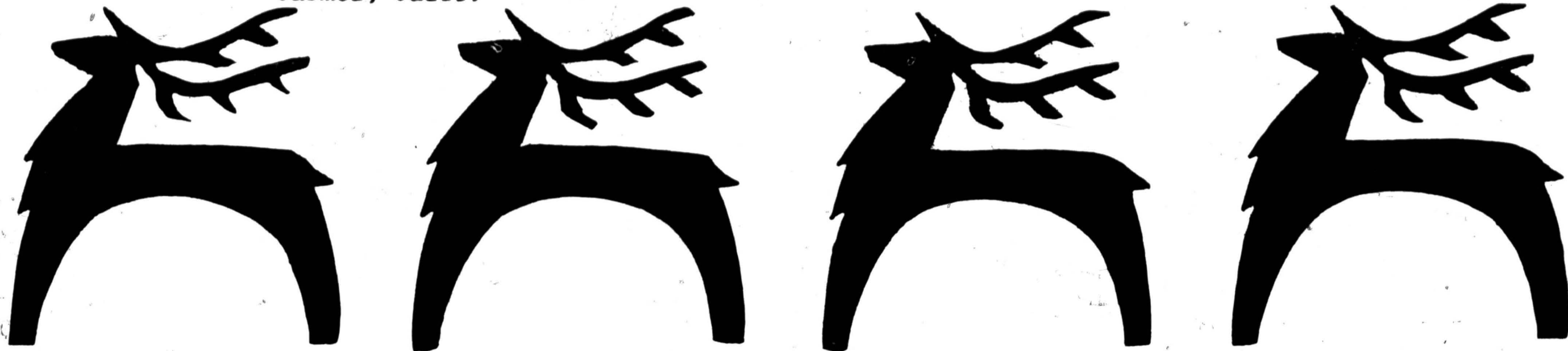


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City to Follow Vollmer's Ideas

Mayor Herbert Heron is pledged to carry out suggestions made by August Vollmer, outstanding police expert, regarding Carmel's police force—at least to the extent of hiring a professionally trained officer, establishing a night desk, and installing a radio.

Cost of this was placed by Heron at \$135 per month for the officer to bring the force to five officers, and an \$800 one-way radio.

He said: "So authoritative is the report we have from August Vollmer that we have no alternative so far as funds allow but to follow his advice."

"Our police have got to make good with the council and the people," he added. Police Commissioner Frederick R. Bechdolt, at whose invitation and that of the council Vollmer made his survey last week, was absent from Wednesday night's council meeting.

VOLLMER'S REPORT

Give Carmel's police force modern equipment and the support of the general public, and then, if they fail to make the grade, act accordingly, urged August Vollmer, police expert, in an informal presentation of his report on the local policing problem last week-end.

Regarding policy within the department, Vollmer suggested a definite policy be established by the commissioner with the chief personally responsible for the carrying out of such policy.

In general, Vollmer's survey was favorable to the personnel of the present four-man police force, but

he suggested that as additions were necessary, or any vacancies developed, that professionally-trained men be hired.

Vollmer declared that he found the four members of the Carmel force, Chief Robert Norton, Officers Roy Fratles, Earle Wermuth and Leslie Overhulse, willing to learn and had devoted more than the specifically required time to their duty.

He reasserted the need for more manpower, especially for hourly patrol of the 33 miles of city streets
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Negotiations on for School Site

Sunset school district trustees this week are reported negotiating for purchase of a high school site and still had three possible locations under consideration, with the Paradise Park area of 10 acres believed to hold a favored position.

Twenty acres across the highway at the extreme east end of Ocean avenue and the "island" area in Hatton Fields between the present and old highway route were also under consideration when trustees met with Dr. Charles Bursch, chief of the state division of school housing.

The trustees were also reported authoritatively to have selected an architect, Ernest J. Kump, Jr., of the widely known firm of Franklin and Kump, Jr., Fresno.

Relative merits of the various sites were checked over with Dr. Bursch on Tuesday. The Paradise Park—
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Art Gallery Jammed for Awarding of Paintings

The new gallery of the Carmel Art Association, for which funds were raised through a sale of sustaining memberships, was packed at what amounted to an inaugural tea on Wednesday afternoon.

The center of interest was the awarding of prizes of 80 paintings and two carvings—with a Paul Dougherty painting knocked down to the first winner, Sidney Fish. A John O'Shea was second selection and went to Helen Ware Burt, who was obviously thrilled with her prize.

Ferdinand Burgdorff, old-time Carmel landscape artist, saw his painting go to the third winner, Edith Greenan, while a Paul Whitman was fourth, going to F. J. Ward. Admiral McKean took a Percy Gray, and an Armin Hansen went to Arthur Wilhoit. Dr. Margaret Levick obtained a William Ritschel, and so on the selection went through a happy, thrilling afternoon.

Mrs. Sidney Trevvett and Mrs. James L. Cockburn poured tea for the large throng.

The gathering afforded many visitors a first view of the new gallery, not yet entirely complete, and great interest was shown in the development of the gallery by Clay Otto for

the Art Association. Artificial illumination was hastily provided at noon, but final improvements are scheduled.

The president, John O'Shea, welcomed those attending, and Herbert Heron, mayor of Carmel, complimented the association for so fine a gallery in a community so small. Major Ralph Coote was in charge, assisted by Byington Ford and Paul Whitman.

The following is the order of selection, artist first: Paul Dougherty, Sidney Fish; John O'Shea, Helen Ware Burt; Ferdinand Burgdorff, Edith Greenan; Paul Whitman, F. J. Ward; Percy Gray, Admiral McKean; Armin Hansen, Arthur Wilhoit; William Ritschel, Dr. Margaret Levick; Charlotte Fortune, Whitney Palache; Myron Oliver, Margaret Ingalls; Burton Boundey, Mrs. Herman Crossman; James Fitzgerald, Walter Egan; J. M. Lewis, Gertrude Eells; William Ritschel, Keith Evans; William Watts, Robert Spencer; Abbie Lou Bosworth, Mrs. Herman Crossman; Arthur Hill Gilbert, Charles Frost; Frederick Burt, Neil J. Reimers; Charles Bradford Hudson, James L. Cockburn; Catherine
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CITY HALL WILL BE DECIDED BY PEOPLE

Whether you want the city hall in the El Paseo building or not, you will have your chance to vote for or against it, as far as the council is concerned. As a possible permanent city hall, El Paseo building was formally offered to the city at Wednesday night's council meeting by Byington Ford for \$32,000.

The matter was referred to a committee to investigate fully and to City Attorney W. L. Hudson and Peter Mawdsley to look into the legal and financial details.

Mayor Herbert Heron, in speaking for the council, pointed out that the matter was of too much import for the council to decide and that it would be referred to the people either as (a) bond election for outright purchase or (b) an election to authorize the council to raise the necessary amount for purchase by contract through taxation over a period of years. Both elections would require a favorable two-thirds vote. Heron indicated "that the council did not disapprove of Ford's proposal."

Councilman Clara Kellogg mentioned the possibility of the El Paseo building as a location until such time as a more suitable site was available, but declared that to take what was undoubtedly a bargain might locate the city hall there for good.

Miss Kellogg pointed out also that more than \$3000, the rebate on the original price of \$35,000 for alterations, might be required to rearrange the building.

Ford's outline of the city hall proposition included blueprint plans, a preliminary title report, complete description of the property, assessed values and estimated cost of replacement, an operating statement showing how the property would practically pay for itself over a period of 20 years, a statement of operation for the past three years, and a 20-year payment plan.

El Paseo building, on the northeast corner of Dolores and Seventh, on lots 20 and 22 of block 76, has an 80-foot frontage on Dolores and a 75-foot frontage on Seventh. It was built for L. C. Merrill in 1928, and purchased by the present owner for \$71,000 in April, 1931, according to Ford's statement.

The trust department of the Monterey County Trust and Savings
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*A Christmas greeting to you from me
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The scent of the pines and the cypress trees,
The chant of the surf and the sigh of the breeze,
The blue of the hills through a veil of haze
And the gay glad spirit of holidays.*

(From Miller M. Stewart's Christmas card.)



ART GALLERY JAMMED FOR AWARDING OF PAINTINGS

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Seldeneck, Mrs. Hanke; Mrs. Black, J. A. Bardin; Myron Oliver, Mrs. Frances Hudgins; Henrietta Shore, Noel Sullivan; Major Ralph Coote, A. Sedley; Ward, Emil Noller; Laura Maxwell, Franklin Baldwin; Ingalls, Elizabeth Gibson; William

Hyde Irwin, D. L. James; George Koch, Earl Graft; M. De Neale Morgan, Mrs. C. S. Olmstead; Mrs. Comins, Albert Bender; Kellogg, S. Bowen; J. F. McComas, D. L. James; Mary Trevett, E. C. Fortune; Laura Maxwell, Corum Jackson; "unselect, ed, Mrs. F. McRichardson; Alvin Beller, Laura Adams Arnold; Fris-trom, A. E. Webb; Boronda, Helen Levinson; Eardley, Emily Coote; Zenas L. Potter, Mrs. Charles Bigelow; Catherine Seideneck, Mrs. G. S. Achilles; Maguire, Emily Coote; Smith, Earl C. Anthony; Ward, S. Bowen; M. DeNeale Morgan, S. Bowen; Strong, Mrs. F. Blanchard; Ma-

Rossini Subject of Musical Arts

The next meeting of the Musical Arts Club, at the Van Ess-MacGowan home in the Country Club, will be devoted to Rossini. The meeting will be on Jan. 3. Margaret F. Grant will be in charge.

Helen Ware will recite from "William Tell" and "The Barber of Seville" and Lauranne Chinn and Don Layman, both of whom have been with the San Francisco opera company during the past year, will sing excerpts from Rossini. Layman is a student of Vasia Anikeyev.

guire, Mrs. Roger Fitch; Edda Maxwell Heath, A. L. Winslow; Celia Seymour, A. L. Winslow; Barbara Stevenson, Ruth Austin; Margaret Levick, J. K. Oliver; Grabill, Mrs. Herman Crossman; George Koch, Lee Kellogg; Kent, Wick Parsons; Levinson, S. Bowen; Kraft, Mrs. Robert Peterson; C. E. Morgan, Louis Narvaez; Major Ralph Coote, Keith Evans; Free Dean, Katherine and Irene Colvin; Mrs. Stehr, Albert Bender; "unselected, Robert O'Brien; Gaw, S. Bowen; Heath, Conrad Imelman; John Langley Howard, Gavin Arthur; Westphal, Albert Bender; Seideneck, Judge Mary Bartelme; Bennett, R. D. Morrison; "unselected, Harold Mack; "unselected, Hopkins; Bruce Ariss, Mrs. John O'Shea; Harold Knott, J. H. Hallett; Dudley Carter (carving), R. D. Morrison; Horton, Mrs. Toulmin; "unselected, L. Williams; Wolfe, Sidney Armer; De-Joiner, J. A. Bardin; Graham, Janet R. Carrol; Parker, Albert Bender; Josephine Culbertson, Mrs. A. L. Winslow; Westphal, Albert Bender.

CITY OF STEEL

San Francisco, a city of steel as it may appear in 1999, will be built as the U. S. Steel Corporation's exhibit at the 1939 California World's Fair.

The Herman Crossman family are all gathered together in their Pebble Beach home for the Christmas holidays. Jean has come from the Finch College in New York where she is studying, Doris from the University of Southern California, and the twins, George and Dick, from the Thacher school in Ojai.

Martin Flavin and his daughter, Flavia, and his son, Sean, will spend the Christmas holidays in Sun Valley, Ida.

Miss Elizabeth Ulman, daughter of Mrs. Madeline Ulman and granddaughter of the late Frank H. Powers, founder of Carmel, and Mrs. Powers, is to be married next Thursday to Howard McGurrian of San Francisco. Following the wedding the young couple will leave for Hawaii where they will spend their honeymoon.

"Streets of the World" will be a \$2,250,000 concession at the 1939 International Exposition in S. F.

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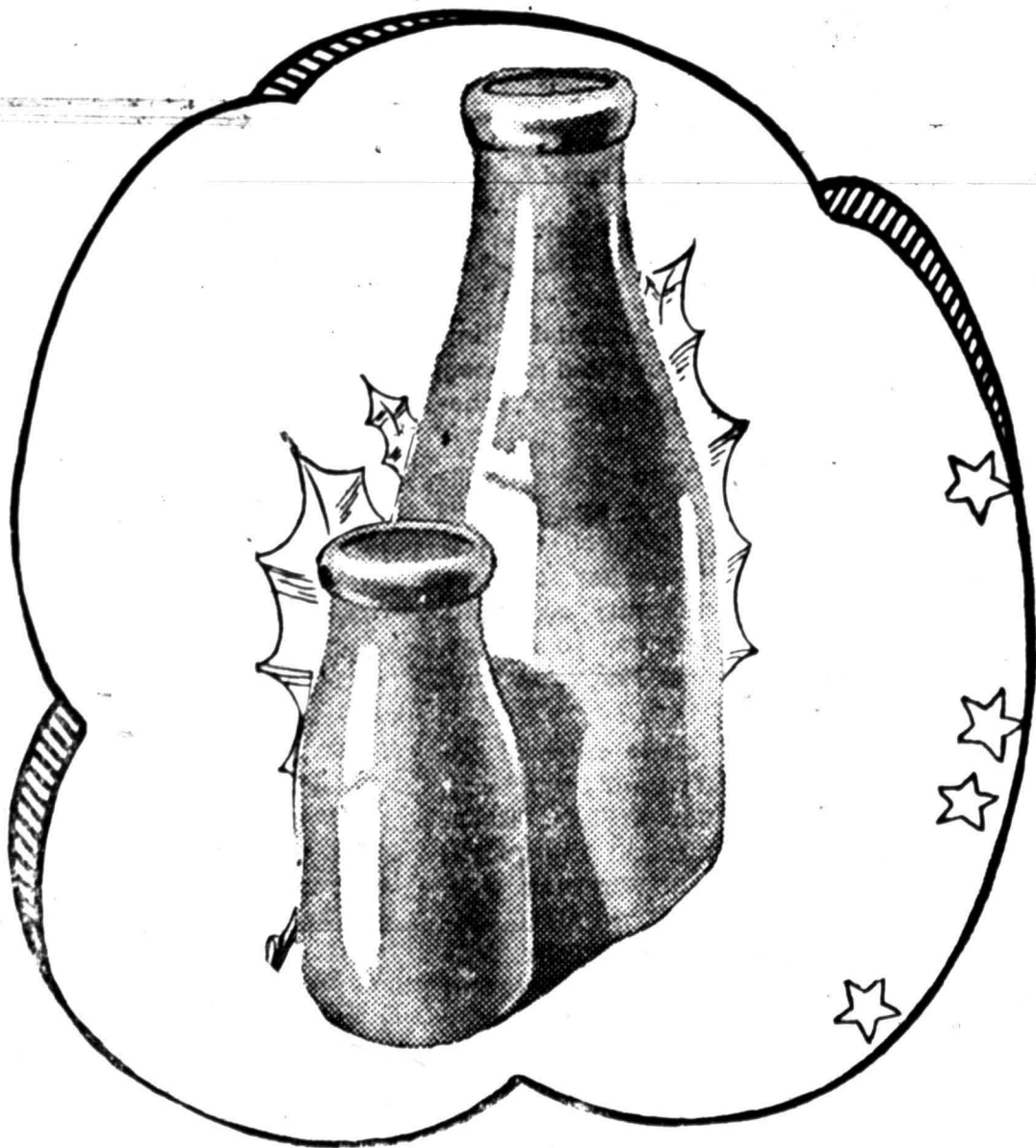


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Season's Greetings



Carols Sung About Tree Marks Yule Season Start

In spite of delay because of rainy weather and a final dry, but cold, evening Tuesday, the singing of Christmas carols about the village tree near the Plaza marked formally the opening of the Yule season for Carmel.

Scores of villagers gathered in spite of cold and threatened rain to join in the singing, led by Miss Madeleine Curry, and sponsored by the Carmel Music Society. The tree itself was decorated by John O'Shea and Paul Whitman of the Carmel Art Association, and, to make the affair the success that it was, the Carmel Business Association supported with every assistance. Harold Nielsen was in charge for the Business Association.

Those who sang from a truck

rolled to the base of the blue-lighted tree and containing the piano, included Alice Crough, Helen Coolidge, Camilla Daniels, Pearl Atter, Glenna Peck, Cecilia Seymour, Frances Wild, Agnes Shipley, May Williams, Hazelle Smith, Marigold Gulick, Donna Hodges, Fordre Frates, Hjalmer Berg, Carl Bensberg, William Bishop, Robert Edgren, Dr. W. B. Williams, Morris McK. Wild, Cecil Haskell, James Dougherty, Dee Brandt, Dr. H. E. Clark, E. Heath Pupell and Arthur Hull.

On Wednesday, Sunset pupils began their Christmas celebrations with "The Christmas Guest," as a featured event on the Yule program. Those who took part in the play were Cornelia Bell, Baird Bardarson, Donna Ruth Townsend, Barbara

Americans Still People of Courage

While security may have replaced courage as the watchword by which human beings live, courage has not died out in the United States; despite the fact that individual and collective security are goals to which men look, courage to maintain the right will not be found wanting.

So said Dr. M. E. Deutsch, vice-president of the University of California, recently. After pointing out that it was courage that built the nation, Dr. Deutsch said that the desire for individual and collective security now has become paramount. But, he maintained, individual security cannot be fully attained; collective security can be provided only through preparedness against aggression.

"Courage, the watchword of the past; security, the watchword of the present. Which is to prevail now?" he asked. "Courage must not be permitted to become truculence and arrogance; the desire for security must not be permitted to become peace at any price. The former means a readiness to fight at the slightest provocation, a resort to brute force to settle all issues; the latter means a yielding of the world to the rule of might and terror."

"Between them lies our goal, the true and abiding security of mankind. We should be ready, soberly and without impetuosity, to show that the courage of our ancestors has not turned to water in our veins."

Pointing to the fate of small nations which have been forced to yield to a stronger aggressor, Dr. Deutsch said, "With this and other warnings before us, let us once more make courage our watchword, and face whatever may come with stout hearts. Be it poverty, be it illness, be it war, we shall be judged by the way in which we meet it."

"For this land which has granted us such manifold opportunities, which has embodied freedom—freedom of speech, of press, of religion—in our fundamental law, the Constitution, and which recognizes the worth of the individual as of prime importance—for such a land what sacrifice should we not be willing to make? To her we pledge all that we are, all that we have, and above all, for her sake we gird ourselves in the armor of courage."

Josselyn, Mary Jean Elliott, Gail Frates, Bill Monroe, Ann Hodgson, Suzanne Watson, Nancy Watson, Willette Torras, Charlotte Dawson, Frances Passalacqua, Zaida Martin, Elinor Smith and Pat Tarrant.

Among those who took part in the vocal program were Charlotte Dawson, Frances Passalacqua, Baird Bardarson, Bill Monroe, Gail Frates, and Donna Ruth Townsend, and many in the younger classes.

Christmas was an occasion for special services scheduled at Carmel Mission and for messages of good cheer at Carmel's churches, details of which are published elsewhere in this issue.

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Work on the new sanitary plant on the island site will actually begin before Jan. 1 to comply with federal PWA regulations, it was determined this week following advice received in Carmel that the \$47,250 PWA grant was assured.

Preliminary work has been under way for two weeks on the levee and approach and the plans for the sewage disposal plant are now being scrutinized by engineers for final acceptance.

Bernard Rowntree this week indicated that it might be two or three weeks before bids for the entire plant might be called, along with bids for the Hatton Fields sewer system

which, incidentally, is to be paid for by assessment.

CITY TO FOLLOW VOLLMER'S IDEAS

(Continued from Page One) and for night desk duty. Especially did he declare more manpower necessary for patrolling, or, to speed up communication and expedite response to calls, a two-way radio system.

Vollmer did not favor a jail for Carmel, but he indicated that a temporary cell might be made available in the not distant future to good advantage.

HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

Mary Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stewart of Carmel Valley, is home for the holidays from Stanford University, where she is in her senior year. Mary expects to graduate this June and is majoring in the Romance languages.

Admitting mistakes had been made, not willfully, Vollmer stipulated that local officers should watch their tactics, inform and arrest, but never lecture. Their knowledge of their community and the populace, he declared, was an essential part of their value to Carmel.

A brief summary of Vollmer's recommendations for local police efficiency as presented to the council informally last week and subsequently released to the press, follows:

1. Installation of two-way radio for communication with police cars on a 24-hour basis.
2. Installation of a detention room for holding prisoners, and provision for an up-to-date record system, filing cabinets, blank forms, etc.
3. Setting up a training system for individual officers with emphasis on Federal Bureau of Investigation methods and available state vocational guidance instruction. Recommended was a weekly department conference and work on many particular items listed in detail.
4. Retention of the present force of four officers—and employment of professionally trained men as the need for more officers arises.

MRS. KATHERINE HOWE HOLDS XMAS PARTY

Mrs. Katherine McFarland Howe held her annual Christmas party for her pupils and their parents, Sunday at which Anne Greene and Winifred Howe played a Christmas fairy tale told in music, "Nutcracker and the Mouse King" suite by C. Reinecke in a four-hand piano arrangement. Following this Christmas carols were played by three of Mrs. Howe's little pupils, June Kocher, Ann Howard and Cynthia Ann Gilbert. Then the lights were dimmed, candles lit and everyone gathered around the piano to sing Christmas songs.

LEAVE FOR SOUTH

Mrs. Fenton Grigsby and her daughter, Miss Mary Agnes Grigsby left Wednesday for San Diego and Yuma, Ariz., to meet Mrs. Grigsby's sister, Mrs. Harry Lansdowne. They will be back in Carmel for the Christmas season.

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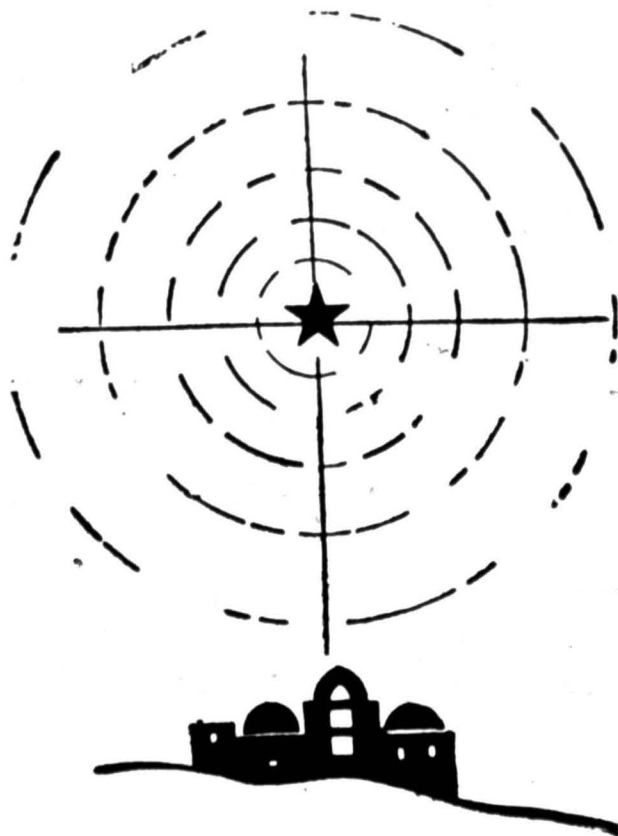
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Legion Auxiliary In Christmas Work

The Carmel unit of the American Legion Auxiliary is busy with its usual Christmas rehabilitation and welfare work. Christmas baskets are being given to needy families of veterans, socks have been sent to the Livermore hospital and money for Christmas cigarettes and sewing kits to the Palo Alto hospital, besides work with the Red Cross here.

The slogan of the Legion Auxiliaries is "It won't be a Merry Christmas for the man in the hospital if his family is not merry at home." The California auxiliary gives to each child of a hospitalized veteran or one that is deceased a "Daddy" gift. Last year 10000 of these were distributed each \$1.50 in value.

Besides this Christmas work each veteran in the hospitals receives a gift and a visit from some member of the auxiliary.

AT CARMEL'S HOSTELRIES

La Playa Hotel has registered this week Mrs. Robert Catlin, Miss B. M. Catlin, Miss M. H. Catlin and Miss M. C. Robertson, all of Piedmont.

Among the guests at Pine Inn this week are Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Adams of Vancouver, B. C., Miss Louise Chaser of Urbana, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hopping of Long Island, who are here for the polo season.

At Forest Lodge last week-end were H. M. Snider of Pasadena who is building a house in Pebble Beach. With Mr. Snider were Bernard Greeff of Pasadena and Donald Marquis of South Pasadena. Prof. and Mrs. Albert Whitney of White Plains, N. Y., were also at the Lodge this week. Prof. Whitney is a retired professor from the University of California at Berkeley. With the Whitneys was their daughter Betty of San Francisco and Mrs. Sarah Gregory of Berkeley. They all stopped in Carmel on their way south from San Francisco.

Christmas holiday guests at the Mission Ranch Club are Mrs. Kay Doty and Miss May Camphill, both of Hollywood.

CARMELITE FORWARDS PHOTOGRAPH TO 'LIFE'

Virginia Williams last week was mentioned in 'Life' in connection with a photograph published in that magazine. The picture, of two weeping youngsters who would now be in their 40's—if anyone knew their whereabouts—were forwarded to the magazine by Miss Williams.



Wise and tender one moment—full of mischief the next: That's Shirley Temple, prankish star of "Just Around the Corner", showing at the Carmel Theater Sunday, Monday and Tuesday

Youngsters' Yule Party Monday

The Christmas theater party, being sponsored by the Carmel Business Association, in cooperation with the Carmel Theater, will be held at the Carmel Theater Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

At this time the pictures together with presents for the school children attending, will be entirely free. J. L. Lyons of the theater announced this week.

"Let's Sing Again" and "So and Sew" will be the features presented along with Mickey Mouse and others.

The Girl Scouts have been busy packaging candy to be given away during the gathering and the Boy Scouts will assist as traffic officers and in distributing the oranges and candy bags, one of each to go to every child.

Mrs. Frances Hudgins went to San Francisco this week to meet her aunt, Mrs. Isabel Templeman of Montana, who has come to spend the Christmas season with Mrs. Hudgins in Carmel.

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Leonardo da Vinci Book Listed at Carmel Library

Leonardo da Vinci is the subject of a biography by Antonina Vallentin which is among the new books at the Ralph Chandler Harrison Memorial Library. This is bound to be one of the widely read biographies of the season as the author has produced an extensive and well informed yet humored, survey of her subject.

We learn in a brief glance that Leonardo was the son of a solid, yet lustful, citizen, and of a peasant girl, a love child. This child proved a genius, an offshoot of a family of lawyers who continued to produce nothing better thereafter than notaries. The book is handsomely illustrated.

A voyage of undersea discovery to Baja California in the Zaca, handsome San Francisco schooner owned by Templeton Crocker, is described by Scientist William Beebe in "Zaca Venture." Among the many species of marine life seen and photographed was the whale shark, a huge spotted creature which defied the harpoons of the Zaca's crew. The trip took Beebe to Cape San Lucas, Santa Inez Bay, and Clarion Island, the banks of Gorda and Arena, and to Guaymas and Mazatlan in 1936 for the

New York Zoological Garden.

"Stars to Windward," by Bruce and Sheridan Fahnestock, is another schooner voyage, written in salty language by two boys who dreamed for years of sailing westward and who finally did so in the wise ship Director. Their mother, dubbed "Schooner Mary" went with them on part of the trip, during which they visited all those storied places of the tropical Pacific.

On the way they met the authors of "Mutiny on the Bounty", "Hurricane" and "Pitcairn's Island", whom they describe in a chapter entitled "by Charles Nordhoff and James Norman Hall."

"Such Sweet Composition" is the autobiography of a New England girl who became a famous Madame Butterfly and Carmen, Geraldine Farrar. There is in this a somewhat pathetic quality, as of a beautiful woman grown old, but those who recall the singer at the height of her career will be glad to learn more complete facts of her life.

A New England grandmother who fought the 20th Century bitterly—and won—makes "Grandma Called It Carnal" a delightfully humorous book by Bertha Damon. Grandma didn't like people to use salt, pepper or sugar—they pleased the flesh, and so on.

"While England Slept" is Winston Churchill's survey of world affairs between 1932 and 1938, from Churchill's point of view.

NEW NON-FICTION

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ALL SAINTS CHURCH

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At 11 p. m. on Christmas Eve—Candlelight service. Carol singing. Holy Communion. Soloist, Jack Neff. The Vested Choir will lead in the singing.

On Christmas Day, next Sunday—8 a. m., Holy Communion and at 11 a. m., Morning Prayer with Christmas message by the Rector, Rev. C. J. Hulswé. The full Vested Choir will sing the Te Deum to a setting of G. L. Hopkins and B. Tours' "Sing, O Heavens." A family service for adults and their children.

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From The Pine Cone's Old Files

— 23 YEARS AGO —

Rev. D. C. Gardner and family are here from Stanford University for a fortnight's stay.

— 23 years ago —

A large crowd turned out for the opening of the moving picture house sponsored by the Manzanita Club. The second show will be given Christmas night. There are 200 seats in Carmel Hall which is situated on Ocean avenue at Mission street.

— 23 years ago —

Charles Josselyn and son Winsor motored to town from Pasadena. Winsor had been attending the Townsley school of art.

— 23 years ago —

Ernest Clewe, who was the first Father Serra at the Forest Theater, now practicing law in San Francisco, was a week-end visitor.

— 23 years ago —

Mrs. Grace MacGowan Cooke and daughter Catherine will spend the holidays in Carmel. Her latest story was "The Heart of Orel."

— 23 years ago —

Mrs. Joseph G. Hooper leaves this month for a visit with relatives and friends in the East. Her brother, J. V. Parnow, accompanies her.

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— 13 YEARS AGO —

Elizabeth Hopper, law student at the University of California, and Wilfred R. Hunkins, law student at Stanford, were married in San Francisco last week. The bride is a daughter of James Hopper. Her sister, Maryan, was the witness.

— 13 years ago —

Eugene O'Neill's "All God's Children Got Wings," by Irving Pinchel's company, will be given at the Golden Bough early in the New Year.

— 13 years ago —

George Ball is presenting "The Bad Man" at the Arts and Crafts Theater next month.

— 13 years ago —

Col. Clair Foster, owner, builder and operator of amateur radio station 6HMC, Carmel, is prominently mentioned in "QST", national amateur radio publication.

— 13 years ago —

The old signboard on Ocean avenue is gone and a controversy is raging over the proposed new board donated by Mrs. E. A. Kluegel.

— 13 years ago —

The Pine Cone this week reprinted a review of Harry Leon Wilson's "Cousin Jane" by Frances Price Street.

— 13 years ago —

Dr. Herman A. Spoehr, of the coastal laboratory of the Carnegie Institution, Carmel, is visiting its headquarters in Washington, D. C.

— 13 years ago —

Rev. Robert Freeman, Pasadena pastor, who has spent several summers in Carmel, is the subject of an article by Bruce Barton in the "American Magazine."

Christian Science

In all Christian Science churches, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., a Lesson-Sermon will be read Sunday, Dec. 25, on the subject "Christian Science."

The Golden Text will be: "The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light: they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined" (Isa. 9: 2). Bible selections will include the following passage from Matthew 8: 1-3: "When he was come down from the mountain, great multitudes followed him. And, behold, there came a leper and worshipped him, saying, Lord, if thou wilt, thou canst make me clean. And Jesus put forth his hand, and touched him, saying, I will: be thou clean. And immediately his leprosy was cleansed."

A passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, will also be included, which reads as follows: "Jesus established what he said by demonstration, thus making his acts of higher importance than his words. He proved what he taught. This is the Science of Christianity. Jesus proved the Principle, which heals the sick and casts out error, to be divine. Few, however, except his students understood in the least his teachings and their glorious proofs,—namely, that Life, Truth, and Love (the Principle of this unacknowledged Science) destroy all error, evil, disease, and death" (p. 473).

DIPHTHERIA IS STILL RIFE IN MONTEREY COUNTY

Nine cases of diphtheria were reported in the county this week, with the infection still present in Monterey and in the western portion of the county. All were in the west and north areas of the county. Four new cases of gonorrhoea and two of syphilis, three of chickenpox and two of mumps were recorded by the health officer.

Red Cross Plans Christmas Cheer

As usual during the yule season, the Carmel Red Cross is carrying out a program of Christmas cheer. Toys and mysterious packages are going out to many children that otherwise might not have a sight of Santa Claus.

The Christmas Fund was swelled yesterday with a check for \$40 sent in by Mrs. Catherine B. Peterson from the proceeds of her play "Love Apples" presented at Filmarte earlier in December.

Mrs. Peterson said that she hoped this donation to Red Cross would bring cheer into the hearts of some of our families and especially the children. This fund will be distributed by Miss P. Leslie King, executive secretary, together with other donations from various sources.

The Roll Call organization under the leadership of Mrs. R. R. Wallace is highly gratified over the success of the campaign. To date over 1100 members have been enrolled, a new record with memberships and donations to the 1939 relief fund of \$5140.

Valona Brewer's Pupils to be Heard

The pupils of Mrs. Valona Brewer will be heard in a Christmas program this afternoon, when they will play a program of selected numbers.

Those taking part in the program are John King, Basil Allaire, Jerry Williamson, Delfo Giglio, Joyce Davis, Gloria Zampatti, Clydene Merrill, Weldon Moss, Robert Mason, Joy Melrose, Everett Messenger, Leon Young, and David La Verne, accompanied by Violet Kuswalt at the piano.

Numbers to be played include: Ensemble—God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen, The Shepherd and Joseph, Oh Shepherds, Leave Your Sheep, Good King Wenceslas and Noel; trio by Bach: Joyce Davis, Gloria Zampatti and Clydene Merrill; D Major Sonata by Handel, David LaVine.

The program will be given over the radio at 4:45.

Barbara Winslow arrived this week to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Winslow of Carmel. Barbara is the eighth ranking woman tennis player in the United States.



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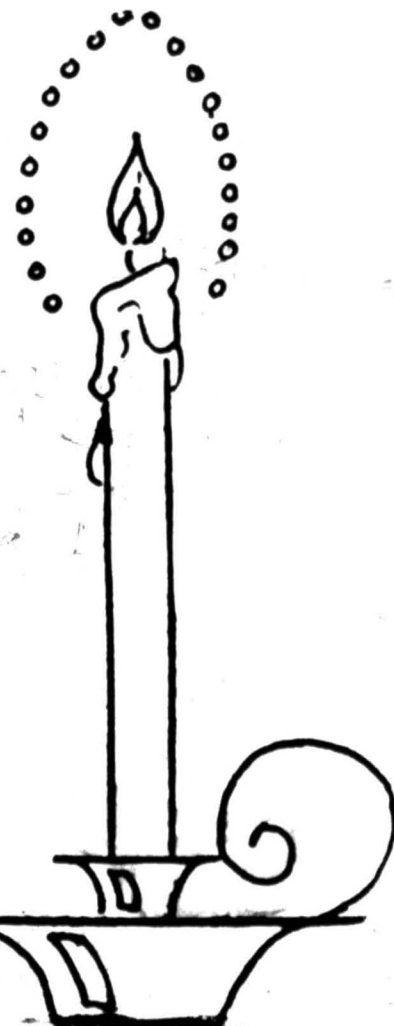
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NEGOTIATIONS FOR SCHOOL SITE

(Continued from page 1)
Nelson property was reportedly obtainable for \$37,500 and would be acceptable to the trustees at their budget figure of \$35,000. Not more than 13 acres, including the triangle of land south of Ocean avenue, is reported available in this area within the city limits.

The 20-acre site east of the highway was reported offered to the trustees at budget figures, providing a sufficiently large space for a school at which is declared to be an unusually reasonable figure. The drawback to this, however, is the necessity of passing the highway, with an underpass necessary for safety, but said not to be required under state law. Scenically and for other considerations, the site is unsurpassed.

Ten acres are available in the "island" south of Ocean avenue, with an additional ten acres available for school purposes across the highway. A bridge over the highway cut would make crossing safe, it was declared.

Use Christmas Seal On Every Greeting

O. W. Bardarson, president of the Monterey County Tuberculosis Association, this week issued an appeal to everyone to use Christmas Seals on their Christmas cards and packages and New Year greetings.

Bardarson at the same time urged that returns be made as soon as possible and that follow-up cards were being mailed. Those who have already made their returns are asked to ignore the follow-up cards, Bardarson said.

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Reader's Reaction

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Editor, Pine Cone:

We are especially thankful and wish to express our gratitude to the members of the Carmel Fire Department for their efficient and speedy work on Wednesday morning when our house on Santa Lucia was the scene of a fire.

This was our first experience of this kind and we have only praise for the fire department for their wonderful handling of the situation.

In keenest appreciation of their work,

we remain,
yours very truly,
Lita and John Bathen.

All Saints Choir Enjoy Yule Affair

The Reverend and Mrs. Carel Hulsewé chaperoned at the Saturday night dinner dance at Hotel Del Monte the senior members of All Saints Choir who were the guests of their sponsors, the Parish and Women's Guild of the church. Those seated at the mistletoe and holly decked table, besides the rector and his wife, were Gail Johnson, Jerry Lamb, Mary Jane Uzzell, Joyce Uzzell, Irene Wilson, Nancy Hollingsworth, Kathryn Hamm, Alice Keith, Mildred Adams, Joe McEldowney, Charles Hamm, Hugh Evans, Jack Neff, Gordon Ewig, Howard and Homer Levinson and Alan Hamm.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wheldon invited a few of their friends to their home on Thirteenth street on Monday evening to help Mr. Wheldon celebrate his birthday. Those who were invited to share the birthday cake and enjoy a pleasant evening were Mr. and Mrs. John E. Abernethy, Mr. Alfred Wolff and Mrs. F. W. Ten Winkel.

CUB PACK ENJOYS XMAS PARTY

Joe Catherwood on Tuesday conducted a Christmas party for the Carmel Cub Pack at the Scout House. Presents were exchanged among the members of the pack and the cost of each was strictly limited.

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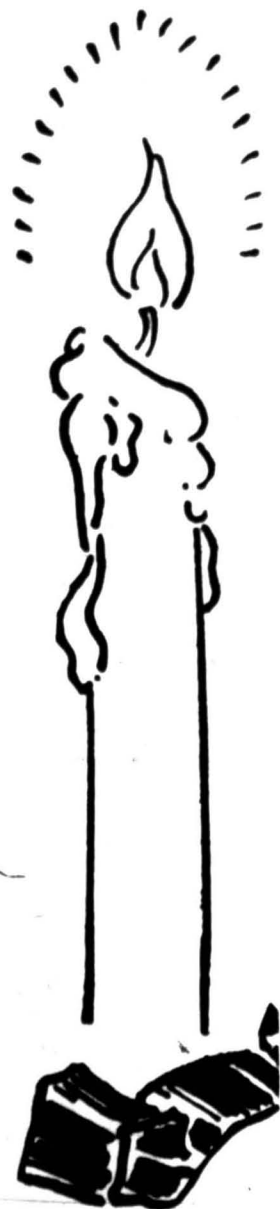
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According to R. W. Bergeson, chief of flying for United at Burbank, the huge mainliners are held during take-offs on the ground until a speed in excess of 200 miles per hour is reached.

By the time the mainliner, climbing at a slight two per cent gradient, has reached 500 feet, the speed is well in excess of 130 miles per hour, providing sufficient forward momentum for any single-motored performance in the remote event of one motor

failure.

At the same time the new full-feathering hydromatic propellers, in use on the mainliners, allows a "dead" motor to remain perfectly still. The blades, which when "feathered", turn edgewise to the front and provide perfect streamlining, consequently they do not turn the motor over as was previously the case when a "dead" motor's blades windmilled and reduced streamlining efficiency by 30 per cent.

Mrs. Molly Burritt and her daughter, Jane, will spend Christmas with Mrs. Burritt's other daughter, Mrs. Marshall Bond of Westhaven, Fresno county.

CITY HALL WILL BE DECIDED BY PEOPLE

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Bank is offering the building for \$35,000, but, as pointed out by Ford, would reduce this price to the city, "in view of the stability and desirability of the purchaser, to \$32,000, leaving \$3,000 for alterations.

Based on county assessment the full value of the property is \$40,500 and on city assessment \$48,000, both figures setting the value of the improvement at about one-third of the total. The replacement cost today was estimated by Ford as \$51,000, of which \$16,000 would be the cost of the land on a basis of \$200 per front foot on Dolores street.

Assuming that bonds would be issued over a 20-year period, and basing his estimate on a price of \$35,000, together with bank figures for operation costs and rents, Ford showed how the additional cost to the city to own and operate the El Paseo building as a city hall would be \$455 annually, deducting \$720 rent for present quarters from the total expense less income of \$1175. The city is at present fortunate in being able to rent quarters for the \$720 figure, Ford has declared.

The first year operating cost, together with payment on principal Ford placed at \$3215, with principal payments to grow as interest payments are reduced. With three rentals which could be retained in parts of the building not required for administration purposes, an income of \$1548 is indicated and with rental from other storage space now vacant a total of \$2040.

This subtracted from the annual total expenses as for the first year of \$3215, leaves \$1175 for expenses over income, which is only \$455 more than the amount on which the city now operates a city hall in unsuitable quarters.

Ravages of White Plague Are Told

Are the lives of 4000 Californians worth saving? That many will die next year from tuberculosis. You can help prevent some of these deaths by paying for your share of Christmas Seals today.

If you haven't already received your Seals through the mail. You can buy them at the Monterey County Trust and Savings Bank, the Bank of Carmel, Walt's Dairy, Carmel Drug Store.

Community Church Christmas Service

At the Community Church, on Lincoln near Ocean avenue, a Christmas atmosphere will surround the service on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. There will be special floral decorations arranged by Mrs. Jettie Tut-hill. A violin solo will be played by Mrs. Valona Brewer. Dr. Wilbur W. McKee will speak on, "A Christmas Dream and Its Implications."

The Church School, with the exception of the minister's Bible class, will meet at 9:45 a. m.

On Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, the boys and girls of the parish will present a Christmas program featuring a pageant entitled, "The Christmas Bells Will Ring Again." Howard

E. Timbers will have charge.

You are invited to share in the uplift of this Christmas Day at the Community Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moll of Reno, Nev., will be in Carmel this week-end and will be the guests of Mr. Moll's mother, Mrs. Paul Moll.

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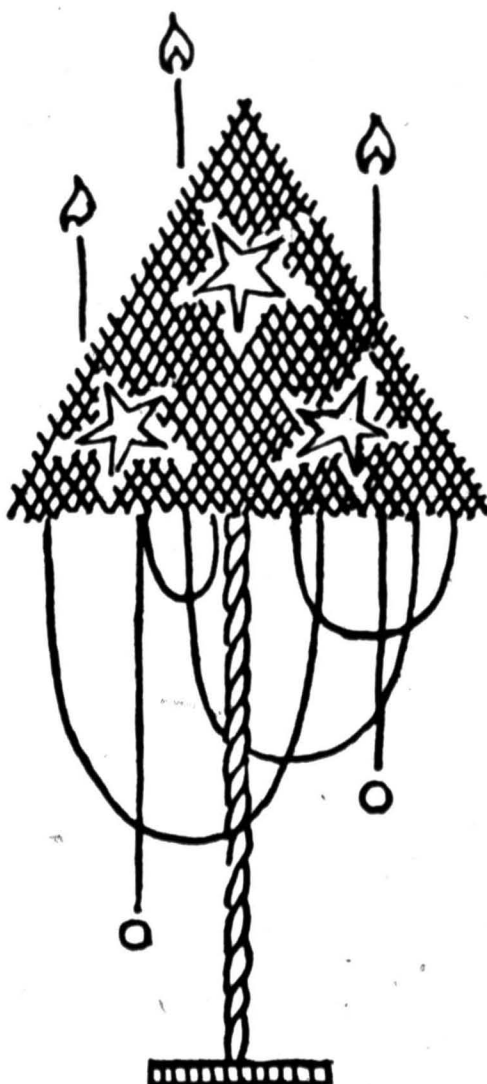
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PWA SANTA CLAUS

Uncle Sam played Santa Claus to every citizen in Carmel this week when he donned his fur-trimmed costume and presented the trustees of the Sanitary Board with \$47,500 of PWA money to help defray the cost of the new disposal plant.

The Sanitary trustees had not been at all hopeful that this government money was coming through and were very happy indeed when it was finally obtained.

From the inception of the project the Sanitary Board members have been exceedingly fortunate in their selection of technical help. Were it not for such men as Engineer Clyde C. Kennedy, the law firm of Kirkbride and Wilson, and the firm of Argyll Campbell and Shelburn Robison, Bernard Rowntree and others, Carmel would probably not be assured of proper disposal of sewage early next year. Some of these men have labored far beyond their monetary compensation for years, donated their time for many, many trips to Carmel from the Bay area to discuss details and advise on proper action.

And when it looked as though the district would have to stand the whole cost of the project these same men turned to and although it is a mystery to us who they talked to and how they reached PWA authorities all the way to Washington, the money came through to Carmel at a time when PWA is not making any more grants.

We would like to be able to pass on to others the formula for obtaining PWA grants but we don't know it except that a lot of very fine work was put in by people who are not connected with the board and who could expect no compensation for their part. We do know, however, that several Democratic leaders turned out to have good friends in high places, and were loyal enough to Carmel to obtain finances for a Republican town.

The \$47,500 is certainly a grand Christmas gift.

A CODED FIRE SIREN

A great deal of praise is due the Fire Department for the excellent and efficient way they answer calls and their conduct at a fire. It is no easy matter to hop out of bed on a cold rainy night, rush to the fire house to learn the location and reach the fire in record time. Possibly as an aid and no doubt to increase efficiency a coded fire siren might well be installed, the town divided into districts and each district given a signal number. Then our firemen could save several precious minutes by going directly to the fire rather than to the firehouse and then out.

Also, at present, when the Red Cross ambulance is needed in an emergency there is only the general fire siren available which turns out the whole department when only possibly two or three of the ambulance crew is needed. We wouldn't suggest that this might cause a "Wolf, wolf" situation, but nobody is going to like being repeatedly summoned for nothing.

A coded fire siren is not expensive and could save a great deal of property by saving time.

WHITE CHRISTMAS

"O, the snow! The beautiful snow,
 Filling the sky, and the earth below!"

Filling the fireplace with wood at dollars and dollars per cord! Filling the houses with chill, even when the fireplace, gas furnace and electric heaters are all working overtime! Filling the roof with an icy packing that sends shivers through the stoutest hearts! No, no! Give us our regular, standard-size high caloric content, Carmel weather. Leave us our roses that bloom in December, and let who want it have their "white Christmas" elsewhere.

VIKING LODGE AT THE HIGHLANDS

*Hail Viking! you whose spirit scorned to die!
 Your presence lives again on our wild coast
 Where fierce waves match the seas of Norway's boast.
 Now darkening shadows drift across the sky . . .
 In comfort here friends sit beside their host;
 His roaring fires burn red, his rich viands roast,
 With talk and laughter friendly questions fly;
 "What graven words enscribbled hang overhead
 In that worn lantern-socket centuries old?"
 "Twas brought from Anna's grave," our hostess said,
 "Fair Anna, wife of Eric, Viking bold."
 The firelight flickers and a silence falls . . .
 Thoughts gather like pale pearl-drops on the walls.*

—GENEVIEVE BUTTERFIELD.



PAGEANT

*Earth and trees—pale little flowers—
 Thirsting animals—parching grass
 Calling the tardy rain; showers
 Race across the sun-baked fields; they pass
 Like the sweep of turbulent tides,
 Swooping into quiet bowers,
 Tap-dancing over roofs of glass,
 Sliding down the steeples of towers;
 Scrambling—shoving—they dive en masse
 In waterfalls on mountain sides.*

—EVE BALSER.

NO MAN KNOWETH

*The way of the Spirit no man knoweth
 Working his will unseen, unheard.
 Up from the dark the wild rose bloweth;
 In silence is wrought the song of a bird.*

*Poet and prophet and sage have sought him.
 Conquered by darkness, blinded by sun
 Ever the seeker's way hath brought him
 Back where his pathway was begun.*

*Let me only be still and wonder,
 Bow my knees, press my face to the sod;
 In silence unbroken, hear him thunder,
 In darkness unlighted, see the Lord God!*

—CHARLES BALLARD.

WALK SLOWLY

*Walk softly, time, walk slowly in the
 glittering leaves . . . we are mazed
 With the beauty and the strangeness that has
 been poured upon us,
 We are wistful for lost delight,
 We are confused with new burning.*

*Walk softly, time . . . too exquisite
 The hour full-brimmed . . . earth is lovely,
 lovely, oh
 Exceedingly-lovely to our hurt,
 And we do not know if ever again we shall
 stand in the wild grasses
 Under the trees and the wind blowing.
 Walk slowly, time, slowly in the glittering
 leaves . . .*

—ELLEN JANSON.

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OUR POLICE

In a conversation the other day with August Vollmer and Fred Bechdolt an interesting theory regarding the policing of Carmel was advanced. We had been talking about the impossibility of going back to the old way of the town marshal and his helper, but those were simpler days and Carmel was in truth a village. Rapid growth of population has accounted more than anything else for the need for greater policing agencies. It is simple arithmetic that the larger the population the greater percentage of criminals and potential law-breakers. Our physical characteristics of Carmel, unlit streets and the more or less gold fish bowl life we lead, where no one thinks of drawing shades and houses are set in lovely surroundings of trees and shrubs, present from a purely police prevention point of view the opportunity for trouble. Nevertheless we like it that way and are determined to keep our town that way. So the answer must be sought elsewhere.

It occurs to us that an adequate police force, properly equipped to function swiftly and unobtrusively, could be the greatest factor in keeping Carmel simple and the way we like it. Perhaps we could rely on this to make it possible for our womenfolk to continue to walk with safety at any hour of the night anywhere in Carmel, as they can now, that those of us in business can leave the day's "take" in the cash box, that we could have a police force ready and willing at all times to help us in the million and one details that they are constantly called upon to do, that we who might want to sleep will not be disturbed by week-enders behaving as they never would in their own home.

Yes, as we see it a strong police force can be a potent factor in keeping Carmel as we love it. We think that Commissioner Bechdolt, Chief Norton and his officers are trying to perform this large task, and deserve a chance. By this we mean a real chance. Give them a radio, give them some proper files and clerical equipment; give them some moral support, and let us see what they can do.

THESE CITY SLICKERS!

Carmel merchants might profitably have taken a tip from one of San Francisco's Grant avenue celestials. Miller Stewart reports he saw a sign in a window: "Not too late to shop early." One would have to go a long way to top that.

CALIFORNIA IN RAIN

With each changing season, California comes out in a new dress. From the lush grass of spring, through the golden months when the dry grass in the hills shines under a burning sun, into the fall, when the first rains beat down and make way for new growth, California has an ever-revolving panorama of seasons. Perhaps the best is the present, when plenty of warm rains have brought quick green growth and produced flowers in many of the winter-blooming species.

We may, perhaps, complain a little about the chill in the air and the wet underfoot, but, in contemplation of the seasons in other parts of the country, we Californians have little to say against whatever climatic influences work upon this part of a fortunate state.

Carmel is especially fortunate, regardless of season, because of the even climate of this coast. Snow flakes have been known to fall in the village streets, and the only recent occasion was a festive one for all. We get our share of rain, but of that only a moderate share. We have fogs during that part of the year when the sun might otherwise punish us with its unscreened

rays. We get winds, as well, but usually tempered by the high lands north and south of Carmel.

It may seem as if we had nothing to say, if we must talk about the weather, but then we have quite a good deal to boast of—about the weather. What if we have a little rain now and then? We have no floods. What if we have no White Christmas? Do we need one? What if the weather is not always perfect? It might be far, far worse anywhere else.

CHRISTMAS CAROLS

For their cooperation this year in providing Car-

mel with a well arranged Christmas tree and an evening of genuine enjoyment about the tree, the Carmel Business Association, Carmel Music Society and the Carmel Art Association should feel justifiably proud.

Such harmony between forces in the community which can work together for better service and benefit to Carmel resulted in greater interest in the tree and Christmas carols than ever before and brought out a splendid crowd on Tuesday night in spite of delay from night to night because of rain.

There is every reason that such success should indicate that a repetition of united effort can be depended upon next year.

From a Window In Vagabond's House

By  DON BLANDING

LINT FROM A LECTURER'S LUGGAGE. I'd recommend a trip into the northern cities during November, December or January to all Carmel-by-the-Seaites to make them properly appreciative of their own delightful enchanted town. How wonderful the air of Carmel is after a month of stale pullman cars, stuffy hotel rooms, metallic smoke-charged miasmas of the great cities. How soothing the deep song of the surf after the grind and turmoil of crowded streets. How delightful the leisurely ways of Carmel after the impatience and shoving of holiday crowds of Chicago, Detroit, Toledo and other industrial cities of the cold north.

I caught up on a month's lost sleep in one night in my own bed in my own house. I felt that I was sinking into layers of velvet plush when I stretched out a weary body, listened briefly to the alive silences of the Carmel night and slid smoothly off into welcome healing sleep. I felt as though I'd had a face-lift, nerve-lift and heart-lift the next morning.

There's certainly an enchantment over this area. At a certain point along the road there's some hocus-pocus which unties tangled nerves, dismisses nagging thoughts and lifts the corners of the mouth into an anticipatory smile . . . anticipating what? I don't know, but it's there.

An amusing incident of the lecture tour proved that one never knows where the printed word is going to have an effect, either good or bad. Sometime ago I wrote a rather bitter

column in the Pine Cone on the prevalence of creamed-chicken-and-green-peas at women's club luncheons. Later I was lecturing in Detroit. There was a LUNCHEON. The usual babble and chatter at the speaker's table. I was occupied with some remarks of the President of the Association who was seated next to me. I vaguely noticed that a plate had been put before me. The president inquired suavely, "Will that lunch be adequate for you?" I eyed the plate. A vast mound of creamed-chicken-and-green-peas flooded the plate. I was about to use my usual alibi for refusing the nauseating mess. "I never eat lunch," figuring I could go out and grab off some red meat afterward. But the whole table of ladies broke into derisive laughter.

"Your article in The Pine Cone was reprinted in one of the local papers," said the president. "We

knew your craving for this delicacy so we gave you plenty." Then she signaled the waiter who whisked away the offending dish and replaced it with a huge platter on which were TWO great sizzling two-inch thick steaks. "We're going to stay here until you've eaten every smidgin of those steaks," laughed the president. I fell on the steaks like a starved hyena, holding back appreciative tears over the unexpected manna (if that can be called manna).

That incident gave me time to think. I'm going to send reprints of that column to all the clubs where I'm appearing in the spring, hoping that the tactful hint will produce roast beef, steaks or at least ham-and-eggs instead of the loathsome goop that is usually served.

Anyhow, it's grand to be back in Carmel for the holidays.

A merry Now and a Happy Always to all of you. Aloha,

ADAMS WARNS ON LIGHTED TREES

"Beautiful but dumb" was the caption used with a recent poster which showed a woman lighting wax candles on a Christmas tree. We might engage in a debate as to whether candles are more beautiful than the vari-colored electric lights now available, but still there is no question that the use of candles is dumb. However, electric tree lights and electric decorations require the use of some common sense as well, says Electrical Inspector B. W. Adams.

When you take the Christmas decorations down from the attic or the top closet shelf this year, give them a thorough examination, suggests Adams. See whether the insulation on the wires has dried and cracked, exposing the copper conductors at any point. See whether the insulation has pulled back on the wires at the sockets, exposing the copper at these points. Screw in the lamp bulbs and see if they fit snugly in the sockets without exposing part of the "live" lamp base.

These precautions are necessary to prevent sparks which might cause short circuits igniting inflammable decorations or the inflammable tree. Metal foil and metal decorations often cause these short circuits when live parts of the set are exposed. Each year there is an unnecessary loss of life and property from Christ-

mas tree fires. In one metropolitan district last year six electrical fires involving trees took five lives.

Unless all parts of your decorative sets appear to be in the best order, throw them away and buy new ones, is the inspector's advice. Don't use sets intended for indoor use outdoors. Precautions regarding quality of insulation are particularly important to avoid shock when outdoor trees, exposed to rain, are decorated. Extension cords for such use should all be rubber-sheathed. It's a good idea to disconnect the system when installing and changing lamps.

HOLIDAY SERVICE SCHEDULE AT CARMEL MISSION IS ANNOUNCED

With all churches preparing for observance of the Christmas season, the following program of services has been arranged for the Carmel Mission during the Christmas holidays.

Tomorrow confession will be heard during the following hours: 10-12 a. m., 2-7 p. m., 7-9 p. m.

On Christmas day, low mass will be said at 7 a. m., high mass at 9 a. m., and low mass at 11 a. m.

The Christmas musical program is planned with the Missa Noctis Sanctissimae, Mass of the Holy Night, by Daniel A. Wilson, to be followed by the offertory, O Mira Nox by Adams.

Christmas carols will be sung be-

fore and after the High Mass by the choir and Noel Sullivan will play parts of the Missa Noctis at the 11 o'clock mass.

Those who will sing, accompanied by Noel Sullivan at the organ, will include: Sopranos, Anna Royka, Miriam Castagna, Marigold Gulick, Angela Reilly, Margaret Konarsky, Harriett Griffith Briggs, Frances Passalacqua; altos, Virginia Hale, Ursula Ramos, Lucille and Dorothy Wirth; tenors, Carl Bensberg, George Ramos; basses, Sam Miller, Joe Clague, William Booker.

Roland Young of Hollywood was the guest last week of Sidney Fish at his ranch, Palo Corona.

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PINE NEEDLES

By MARJORY LLOYD,
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Mr. and Mrs. John E. Abernethy entertained last Thursday and Friday afternoons at two delightful cocktail parties for their friends. Mrs. Abernethy has carried out her Christmas tree and other decorations in her favorite colors, red and white. The guests who enjoyed the season's cheer and gathered in the gaily decorated rooms on Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mulvin, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Castagna, Dr. and Mrs. Marshall Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Al Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. William Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Sowell, Dr. and Mrs. Delbert Slipner, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rudolph, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Imelman, Mr. and Mrs. Otis M. Berthold, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Alsop of Salinas, Miss Jean Hughes of Salinas, Mrs. Rita Beller, Miss Kay Smits, Miss Mary Camp, Miss Mary Wheldon, Miss Marguerite Moll, Mrs. Jeannette Lynch, Mrs. Margaret Moore, Miss Beatrice LaPlante, Al Foster and Al Stahl.

Those invited on Friday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Vidoroni, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh S. Olinger, Dr. and Mrs. Clinton Tawse, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Baxley, Dr. and Mrs. Chester Hare, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Thorn, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Crowley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nicholas, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ryland, Mr. and Mrs. Fraser Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. David Fiscus, Mr. and Mrs. David Scripture, Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLean, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dewar, and Dr. and Mrs. Winton Swengel, Mr. and Mrs. Abernethy entertained at the third of the series yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Vera Peck Millis and her three daughter, Ann, Jane and Martha, are in Carmel for the Christmas holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wheeler of Pebble Beach will have their entire family with them for Christmas. Virginia, who is in her junior year at the University of California, arrived last Wednesday; Bill came home from the Thacher school in Ojai on Saturday and Betty arrives this week-end from San Francisco. Sally Green of Aurora, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler's niece, who is a student at Mills College, also came down to spend the holidays with them last Friday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin of Carmel Valley for Christmas will be their son Jack and his wife and two-year-old son. Jack Martin is supervisor of soil surveyors in California and Nevada. The Martin's daughter Ann will also be with them, as she is spending a month with her parents on vacation from the University of California hospital where she is a nurse in training.

Elizabeth Houghton, who is a student at the University of California at Los Angeles, is in Carmel spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Austin James. The Jameses and Mr. and Mrs. Al Sparks will meet at the Richard Masten home at the Highlands for Christmas dinner. Mrs. Masten and Mrs. James are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hopper, Jr., spent last week-end in Carmel. Jim, who finishes his medical course at the University of California this spring, has received an appointment as interne in the University of California hospital medical service beginning next July.

Jean and Wilma Crouch have returned to Carmel to spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Crouch. Both girls are students at San Jose State College.

Miss Theodora Gross of Monterey and Miss A. J. Green of Carmel were recent guests of the Palace Hotel while in San Francisco.

Dr. John von Saltza and Dr. Lloyd Silverstein of the San Francisco County Hospital drove down to Carmel to spend last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tormey, who were married last Thursday at the Presidio of San Francisco, came to Carmel for their honeymoon. Mrs. Tormey is the former Berenice Peterson of Seattle. Mr. Tormey is with the California State department of finance in San Francisco.

Home for the holidays from the University of California at Berkeley are Joe Schoeninger, Jerry Chance, Sam Coblenz and Lloyd Tevis. From Stanford has come Dan Lockwood and the University of Southern California, Betty Reynolds and Sue Brownell.

Jean Stewart is home from the University of California to spend the Christmas vacation with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Stewart of Carmel Valley.

Miss Betty Baldwin entertained 15 of her friends at supper last Sunday evening at her Robles Del Rio home.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. McCabe of Carmel Highlands will have as their Christmas guests Dr. McCabe's mother, Mrs. Ida McCabe of Santa Rosa and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hoffman of Guerneville.

Winners of the bridge tournament at the Mission Ranch Club this week were John Thompson and Thom Neikirk and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Low were second.

Arriving from Fort Sill, Okla., to spend Christmas in Carmel at the home of his fiancée, Miss Frances Ford, will be Lieut. C. C. Harvey, Miss Ford is going by train to Los Angeles to drive back with him tomorrow in time for the Christmas festivities. Lieut. Harvey plans to see some of his West Point classmates at the Monterey Presidio while he is here.

Miss Ford will have as her guest over the New Year's holiday Miss Catherine Bates of Nevada, her former Stanford classmate, who is now living in San Francisco.

The Honolulu Advertiser sends a clipping of Mr. and Mrs. Moylan Fox which pictures them lei-laden on their arrival at the islands. They were recently married in Carmel Mission and are at present honeymooning at the Halekulani hotel in Honolulu. Mrs. Fox is the former Patricia Condit of Carmel and her husband is the son of Mrs. Charles Berkey of Carmel.

Out of rain and fog on Ocean avenue this week shines Don Blanding's happy face—happy because he is once more back in Carmel after a lecture tour that took him through the East and Middle West. He is going to be here long enough for Christmas and the New Year in Vagabond's House. On Jan. 13 he again will take to the road to lecture through the Southeast and South until the middle of February when he will return to Carmel to finish work on "Drifter's Gold", his latest book which is to be published next fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Rickard of Vancouver, B. C., who are spending a month at La Playa hotel, entertained on Wednesday evening at dinner in honor of their fortieth wedding anniversary. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Hargrave and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Barclay.

Carmel fire department held its annual banquet at Pine Inn last night.



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Dr. and Mrs. Remsen Bird are occupying their Carmel cottage for the holidays. Dr. Bird is the president of Pomona College.

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The Del Monte polo season opens next Tuesday with a match to decide the United States Women's Polo Association champion. The two teams competing are from the Pogonip Polo club of Santa Cruz and Santa Barbara. The Pogonip team is composed of Betty Kelly, Elaine McInerney, Barbara Worth and Mrs. Deming Wheeler. The Santa Barbara team is made up of Helen Edwards, Rose Donnelly, Dorothy Rogers and Willie Keck.

Polo enthusiasts who will be on the peninsula for the Del Monte season are Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. William Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Havenstrite and their daughter, Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Beal, Mr. and Mrs. George Cope, Mr. and Mrs. William Tevis, Mr. and Mrs. Converse M. Converse, Mr. and Mrs. T. Blackiston, Mr. and Mrs. George Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Laeuschner and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rand, Jr., and their daughter, Barbara.

Beau Kitselman left on Wednesday afternoon by plane for Los Angeles where he picked up another plane to take him to Miami, Fla., where his father is seriously ill. Beau hopes to be back in Carmel in time for Christmas. Paul von Tempelki piloted the plane to Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Hunkins and their son "Wiff" of Sacramento, are planning to spend Christmas week-end in Carmel and will be guests for Christmas dinner at the home of Mrs. G. C. Leonard, Mrs. Hunkins' grandmother.

Miss Hope Thomas of the Sunset School faculty was married last Saturday afternoon in St. Johns Chapel, Del Monte, to Mark Joseph Raggett of San Francisco. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. J. Hulsewé, rector of All Saints Church in Carmel, and Rev. Theodore Bell of St. John's. Miss Thomas attended by Miss Bertha Lindemann, San Jose, was given in marriage by her father, Dana Thomas, also of San Jose. Eugene Raggett of San Francisco was his brother's best man and the ushers were James Long of San Francisco and Alden French of San Jose.

Calla lilies and lighted tapers were the decorations used in the chancel. The bride wore a gown of ivory satin, the skirt ending in a long train. Her veil was of ivory net falling from a coronet of pearls. Pearls were also set in her bracelet and the brooch worn at the neckline. She carried a shower bouquet of white orchids and lilies of the valley. The maid of honor was dressed in American Beauty chiffon velvet, her feather hat, gloves and shoes in harmonizing shades as were the flowers in her small old-fashioned bouquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Raggett received their friends in the garden of the chapel following the ceremony. A small reception was also held in the Carmel home of Miss Virginia Dutcher and Miss Marian Adams where the rooms were decorated with calla lilies, holly and lighted tapers. Miss Faith Thomas, the bride's sister, Miss Sally Fry, her cousin, Miss Alice Graham, Miss Marian Adams, Miss Dutcher and Mrs. Frances Cottle Johnson assisted.

Following the reception Mr. and Mrs. Raggett left for Palm Springs where they will spend their honeymoon. Mrs. Raggett will return to Carmel after the Christmas vacation to take up her duties as kindergarten teacher at Sunset school until the end of the school year when she will make her home in San Francisco where her husband is in business.

Mrs. John W. Dickinson has graciously opened her home, "The House Called Basing", at the corner of Carmelo and Santa Lucia streets for the next meeting of the Carmel Missionary Society. The meeting will be next Tuesday, at 2:30, when the speaker will be Miss Mary Hunter, principal of the Presbyterian Mission School at Efulan, Cameroun, South Africa. Miss Hunter is at present on furlough and staying with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. John H. Hunter of Pacific Grove.

Laura Applegarth, who was to have taken a part in the olio of "Ten Nights in a Barroom" at the First Theater, Monterey, on the New Year week-end, will be unable to participate as she was recently in an automobile accident in Stockton. She suffered painful mouth injuries. Laura formerly took leading roles with the Troupers of the Gold Coast and was a star trouper.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garrett are once more in Carmel after a trip to Independence, Mo., where they visited Mr. Garrett's parents, continuing to Detroit, they picked up a new car and visited Chicago, New Orleans, Juarez and Santa Fe on the way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace G. Lyons of Carmel announced the engagement of their daughter, Virginia, to David Bickford Gideon, a student at the Boalt Hall of Law, last Sunday afternoon at a tea given in Berkeley at the home of Miss Lyon's aunt, Mrs. Duncan McDuffie.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Meese of Redwood City and their small son will spend Christmas with Mrs. Meese's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Trevett of Hatton Fields.

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:: Amusement And Where To Find It ::

JESSIE BROWN AS MEHITABEL IN 'TEN NIGHTS' MELODRAMA

An important change in the plans for "Ten Nights in a Barroom" brings to the old melodrama Jessie Joan Brown, blue-eyed star in several recent productions of the Carmel Players, who most recently had

a lead in "Love Apples."

Jessie Brown replaces Mary Henderson, an old-time member of the Troupers of the Gold Coast, as Mehitabel. This part was formerly taken by Barbara Bare in the earlier revivals of the "Ten Nights."

This historic play will be given at the First Theater, Monterey, Friday to Sunday, Dec. 30, 31, and Jan. 1.

Byington Ford will be back in the important role of Switchel, sharing the comedy with Jessie Brown.

Billy Shepard, whose performance as the drunkard, marked the last presentation of "Ten Nights", is again in that role and Margenette Meldrim, who played as a little girl the daughter's part, is again the devoted wife whose love and loyalty wins the drunkard back to a life of respectability. Thelma Miller, replacing Betty Bryant, is the inn keeper's wife, Mrs. Slade, and Ross Miller is the inn keeper.

A dozen acts will comprise the olio with By Ford as master of ceremonies, and provide an altogether festive occasion for the New Year week-end.

Players' Comedy Ready for Holiday

Holiday fun is promised by the Carmel Players for those attending their production for Dec. 30, 31, and Jan. 1, "Laugh That Off," a hilarious three-act comedy, at the Filmarte theater.

The cast chosen for this play is extremely well balanced and features Nina Kitzelman, who since coming to Carmel several months ago has been active in the amateur theater beginning with the play "Noah."

She plays the part of Peggy Bryant, her first major role here. Beverly Tait, as Emmie, "Mopopus", Edith Frisbie as Mrs. Connelly, and Joan Tait as "Toots" Valentine, complete the fair section of the cast.

An experienced lineup of male actors is headed by Del Page as Leo Mitchel, and Bob Bratt as Robert "Remorse" Morse. Ted Leidig as Arthur Lindau, Everett "Machine Gun" Gray as Jimmy Valentine, Frank Dickinson as Mike Connelly and Joseph Scelzi as Tony, the ice man, complete the cast.

Ruth Taft is directing.

Shirley Temple Comes to Carmel

Based on what is declared to be the most original story idea ever conceived for a Shirley Temple picture, "Just Around the Corner" will be played at the Carmel Theater on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

The story concerns the hilarious but happy consequences which result when Shirley Temple confuses a wealthy old banker ("Uncle Sam" Henshaw) with the lean and bewhiskered gentleman who is the symbol for our national life.

Three new song hits highlight this latest picture triumph of Americas No. 1 screen star. They are: "This Is a Happy Little Ditty," "Love to Walk in the Rain" and "Brass Buttons and Epaulettes."

"Just Around the Corner" is hailed as one of the best screen stories ever written for Miss Temple and Ethel Hill, J. P. McEvoy and Darrell Ware are responsible for the scenario from the original story by Paul Gerard Smith.

Charles Farrell, Joan Davis, Amanda Duff, a promising newomer, Bill Robinson and Bert Lahr are featured.

Carmel Rainfall Nears Seven Inches

Continuous rain early this week brought the rainfall figures for Carmel this season close to the seven-inch mark. On Wednesday the total stood at 6.48 inches, as compared with 5.05 for last season at this time.

Carmel Valley had had just under six inches of rain, a few hundredths less than a year ago, while Monterey, Pacific Grove and Del Monte are running slightly behind.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Townsend and their two daughters, Charlotte and Ruth, will spend a few days this week in the Sierras enjoying the winter sports.

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also known as L. E. M. Cosmey, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned, E. C. Smith, administrator, with the will annexed, of the Estate of Lyndon E. M. Cosmey, also known as L. E. M. Cosmey, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, that within six months after the first publication of this notice, they either file them with the necessary vouchers in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Monterey, or exhibit them with the necessary vouchers to the said E. C. Smith, administrator with the will annexed, at the law offices of George P. Ross, Room 3, Las Tiendas, Building, Carmel, California, the same being the place selected by the undersigned administrator for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the County of Monterey, State of California.

Dated: December 12th, 1938.

E. C. SMITH,
Administrator with the will annexed
of the Estate of Lyndon E. M. Cosmey,
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GEORGE P. ROSS
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the qualified electors of the SUNSET School District of Monterey County, California, that an election will be held on Tuesday, January 10, 1939, at the Sunset Schoolhouse of said district, for the purpose of voting upon the question of the formation of a High School District, to be named Carmel High School District and to consist of the following School District:

1. Sunset.

The polls will be open between the hours of 2 o'clock P. M., and 7 o'clock P. M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election are:

William Overstreet, Inspector
Florinda Holm, Judge
Elizabeth Sullivan, Judge.

(Signed) JAMES G. FORCE,
County Superintendent of Schools.
Office of County Superintendent of Schools, Salinas, Monterey County, California, December 22nd, 1938.

For laws governing this election, see School Code sections 2.510 et seq.

N. KENSEY,

Superintendent of Public Instruction.
Pub: Dec. 23, an. 6, 13.

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Sunset Christmas Drama, Carols Thrill Parents

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The children of Sunset school and their music teacher, Miss Grace Knowles, are to be congratulated on the excellence of the performance given last Wednesday evening in Sunset auditorium.

Besides the carols there was the play "The Christmas Guest." Here Miss Anna Marie Baer must be commended for the fine performance, the beautiful costumes, stage set and lighting. The children delivered their lines well, had good stage presence and presented a lovely picture of an old English Christmas evening in the big hall, complete with Yule fire, tree and banquet table. The play told the story of an old Sixteenth Century legend about the Christmas Angel who, disguised as a beggar,

came to earth on Christmas night when the feasting and merriment was over, choose a house, knocked on the door and received the gifts of the children's most precious possessions. As he left the house he blessed their generosity and then appeared outside the window in all his radiant glow. The cast was composed of "Dame Margaret", Cornelia Bell; "The Beggar", Baird Bardarson; "Frances", Suzanne Watson; "Rosa-mund", Ann Hodgson; "Elinor", Donna Ruth Townsend; "Geoffrey", Bill Monroe; "Harold", Gail Frates; "Elizabeth", Nancy Lee Watson; "Anne", Charlotte Dawson; "Mary", Carol Walker. The understudies were Patricia Tarrant, Zaida Martin, Elinor Smith, Jimmy Handley and Willette Torras.

The costumes were made under the direction of Mrs. Helen Poulsen by the following students, Juanita Baca, Betty Bucklen, Laverne DeAmaral, Carol Chester, Pat Tarant, Laura Lee Koepp, Henrietta Erickson, Meta Gossler and Marilyn Biddenbecker.

The sets were constructed by B. Franklin Dixon, Frank Dickinson,

Bathen House Suffers Blaze

Damage estimated by the Fire Department at \$2000 was sustained in a fire Tuesday morning in a house belonging to John and Lita Bathen on Santa Lucia and occupied by the Frank Townsends.

Believed starting near a floor heater, the fire extended to furniture and walls and household goods, including a piano, all of which were badly damaged. Firemen, however, prevented what threatened to be a major blaze by their usual quick answer to the call.

On Monday afternoon a small fire in a desk was speedily subdued by the fire ladders at a house just north of Seventh on San Carlos.

John Stanley, Mary Ballard and Bill France of the Carmel Players, assisted by the following students of Sunset school, Harry Warrington, DeWitt Appleton, Bill Christensen, Kent Whitcomb, and members of the adult education stage design class. This same group also handled the lights and properties.

The carols which opened and closed the program were sung by the following:

Upper grades—O Come All Ye Faithful.

The Eighth grade—Cantique de Noel; soloist—Francis Passallaigue.

Primary grades—Little Town of Bethlehem; Lullaby of the Christ Child; Away in a Manger.

Intermediate and upper grades—Silent Night; soloists, Baird Bardarson, Bill Monroe. Holy, Holy, Holy.

Intermediate grades—Deck the Halls.

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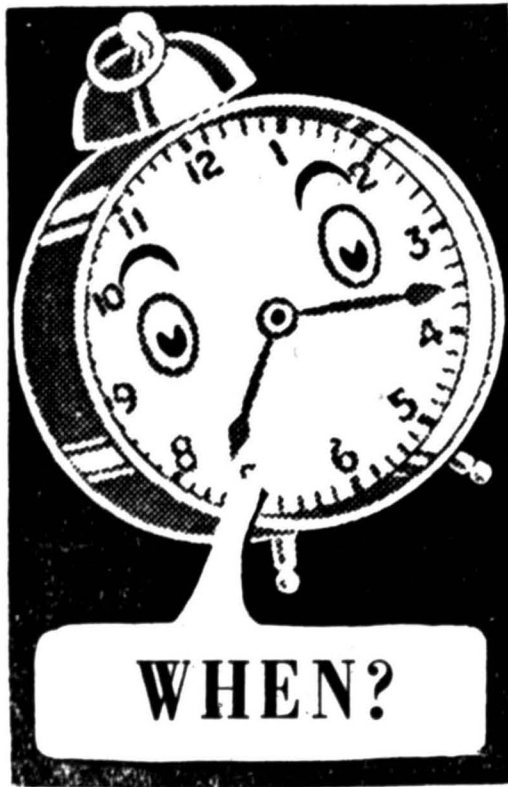
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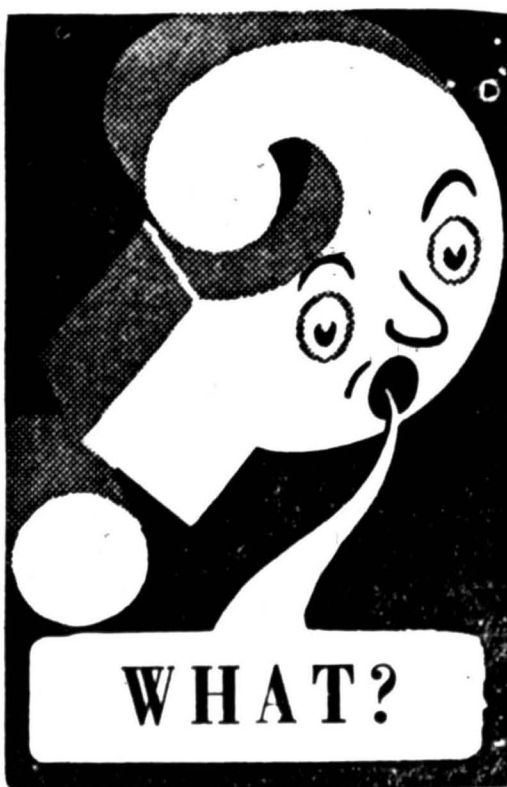
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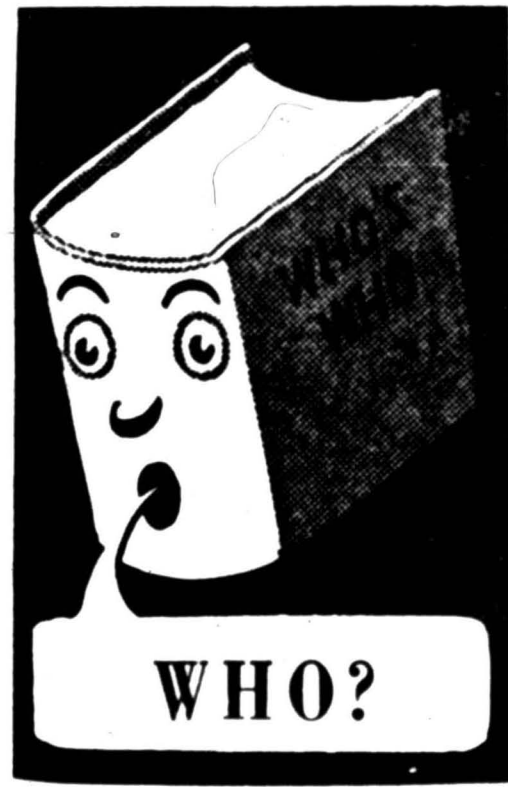
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